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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 41.31 the Appellants hereby respectfully appeal Examiner Foreman's **Final Rejection** of claims 41, 43-46, 48-51, 53-58, and 75-79 mailed February 22, 2006.

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